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APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Jean HERSCOVICI; Hans HOFLAND; Christophe JACOPIN; Daniel SCHERMAN								
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:								
1. X This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.								
3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay								
examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1). 4. X A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed								
priority date. 5. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))								
a. is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).								
b. X has been transmitted by the International Bureau.								
c. is not required, as to 6. X A translation of the Internation								
7. X Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))								
a. are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).								
b. have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.								
d. X have not been made and will not be made.								
8. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. X An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)), and Power of Attorney. (UNSIGNED)								
10. A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C.								
371(c)(5)). Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:								
11. An information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.								
12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. X A FIRST preliminary amendment.								
13. X A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.								
14. A substitute specification.								
15. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.								
16. X Other items or information: Print EFS, Sequence Listing, Sequence Diskette and Statement								
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